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FIGURE 1

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FIGURE 2

underlined = deleted in targeting construct
BOLD = sequence flanking Neo insert in targeting construct

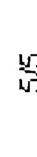
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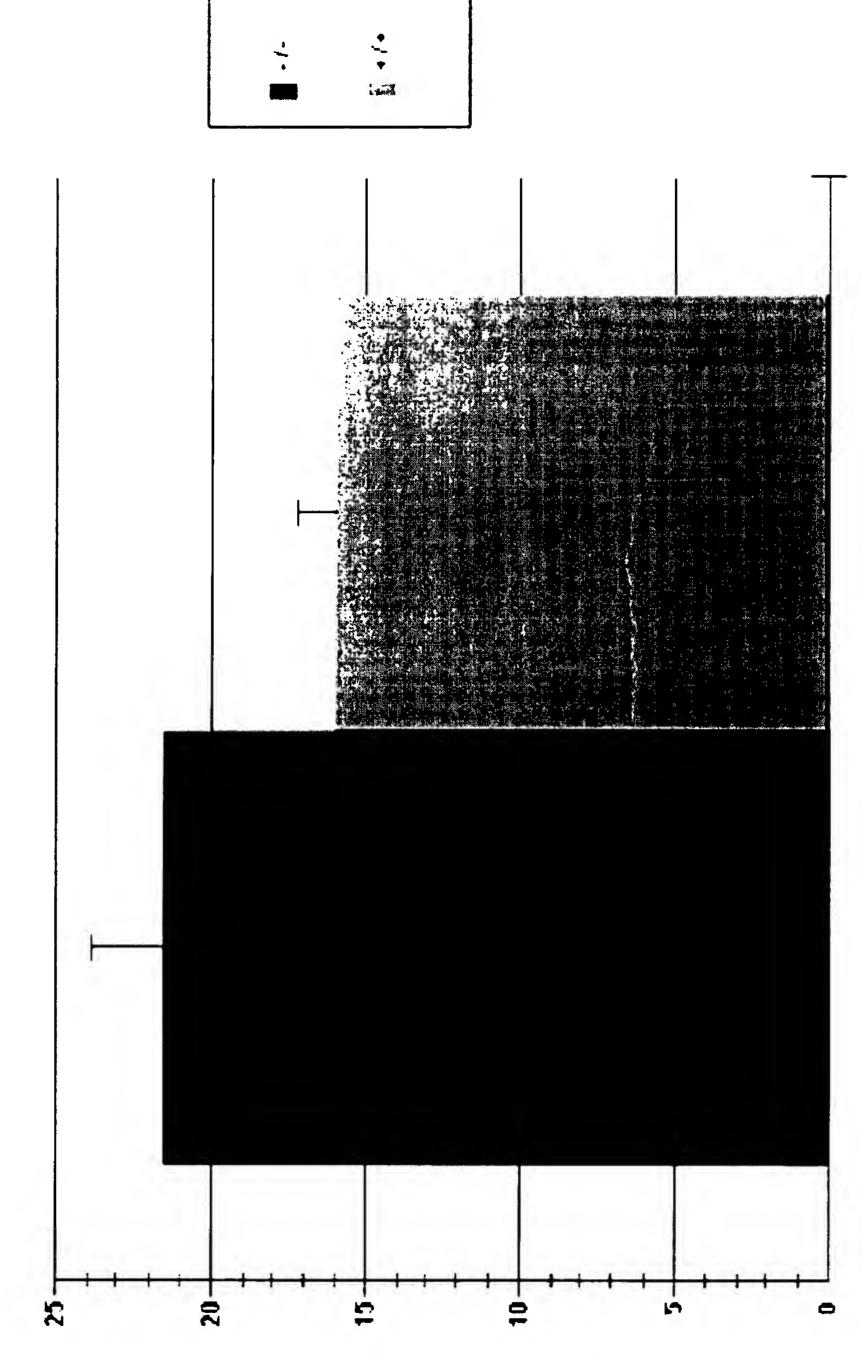
FIGURE 3

Gene Sequence Structure * 1497 bp **Sequence Deleted** 1509 bp Size of full-length cDNA: 3261 bp Targeting Vector* LacZ-Neo (genomic sequence) Cassette 3' arm 5' arm 3' probe 5' probe Arm Length: **5**': 3.5 kb 3': 1.5 kb 5'>TCCTCAATTCTAACTGCATTT 5'>TCGTGGTCCTTGCTGTTGCCA CTTCTGGAAAAGAATAAAACGATT TTGGATTGCCCTTCCTGGCTCTCA CACCAGAGCTCCAGAGGATAGCCT TATACTGGTGTGCTCCTTGCAGCA AAGCTGAGTTGTTTTTAATCAAAT AGGTATGTCTGTGAGTCCTGCAGT CATTCTGTGTGCTGTCTCACCCCT CCATCTGTAGTTGAATTCTGTCCA Targeting Vector AGTTTGTGGCTCATCCAAGCTGTC GCAGGCAAAGATCTAGCTCCAAAA - - - Endogenous Locus AGCAACAGCTCCTGTCCATATGGT TGAAAATATGATTTGAAGTACACA * Not drawn to scale ATGAGAACCTCTCTGGTTTACGGC GGTTCACATAATCTTTCTATTTGT AGCAGACCATG<3' TTGAGAATTTC<3' (SEQ ID NO:3) (SEQ ID NO:4)

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FIGURE 4





Average latency to hindpaw licking (s)

FIGURE 5